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Amateur Sports at Wetaskiwin Aug. 15

At school sports, on the picnic grounds, and on track and field much athletic talent has been developed among the young men and young women and boys and girls of this town and the surrounding district. To the growing generation in particular much interest will be

therefore taken in the Junior Amateur Track and Field Championship to be conducted by the Alberta Branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, under the auspices of the Wetaskiwin Sports Association, at Wetaskiwin on Wednesday, August 15. There is no

reason why this district should not be represented at this great Meet by at least two or three of our outstanding junior athletes of both sexes, who possess just as much athletic talent of championship calibre as the young folk of any other section of the province. If some of our citizens would only take it upon themselves to arrange for representation from this district, it would mean much for the future development of athletics in this locality.

The regulation gold, silver and bronze Alberta Championship medals will be presented for each event, and two beautiful silver cups will be presented the boy and girl with the highest aggregates. In the five-mile event a silver cup accompanies the gold medal.

The championship events will be:

Boys: 100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, 880 yards, one-mile, five miles, running broad jump, running high jump, running hop, step and jump, pole vault, putting 12-lb. shot.

Girls: 100 yards, 220 yards, running broad jump, running high

Says Hen Steals Kittens Away From Mother Cat

Youngstown Plaindealer: One of the queerest freaks of nature and one of the funniest we have heard of for some time is that occurring on the farm of W. C. Gordon, Scotfield, where a Leghorn hen has stolen six kittens from their mother and persists in keeping them.

The hen mothers them under her wing as though she had hatched them out herself, and chases off the mother cat, showing fight to keep her unnatural brood. She has had them now for two weeks and is still as determined as ever to keep them.

The only difficulty the hen experiences with the kittens is in feeding them, as they do not seem to relish the tit-bits that the old hen thinks they should, and it is necessary for Mrs. Gordon to look after this part of the work of feeding them herself, taking them from the hen and giving them milk.

jump, running hop, step and jump.

Many other athletic events and several platform attractions are on the program. A banquet will be tendered the visiting athletes by the Board of Trade in the evening.

Any boy or girl under the age of 18 years is eligible to compete. There is no fee. They, however, must be duly registered athletes. Registration forms and entry blanks may be secured by addressing B. W. Bellamy, secretary of committee, c/o The Times, Wetaskiwin, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hawkes were Calgary visitors on Monday.

The prize lists for the Didsbury Agricultural Fair are now off the press and anyone wishing one, apply to C. E. Reiber, Sec.-Treas.

Sports Committee For Exhibition Elected

A meeting to appoint a sports committee of the Didsbury Agricultural Society was held Friday evening last in C. E. Reiber's office the following being appointed: President, H. W. Chambers; Sec.-Treas., E. Goorder; Horse Races, George Julien, Bert Cressman, Ed. Blairand A. W. Axtell; Athletics, Herb, Liesemer, E. G. Ranton and Bert Fisher.

Since the printing of the prize lists the Secretary of the Exhibition has received another donation to the Special Prize section:

Best loaf of bread baked by housewife from Maple Leaf Flour. Every contestant to attach to their entry tag sales slip certifying that they have purchased Maple Leaf Flour from the United Grain Growers, Ltd. First Prize, 98-lb. sack Maple Leaf Flour; Second Prize, 49-lb. sack Maple Leaf Flour.

With a view to still further improving the condition of Alberta's main highways and reducing the cost of maintenance, a series of experiments will be conducted on a number of gravelled roads in the province during the next few weeks to test the efficiency of a covering of oil. It is announced by Hon. O. L. McPherson, Minister of Public Works, that a heavy asphaltic oil will be used in surfacing the roadbed for several miles on the principal highways. Satisfactory results are anticipated from this treatment which has proven highly satisfactory in a number of the eastern provinces.

Wednesday, July 18th, a snappy comedy drama "Harp and Harp" at the Opera House, Didsbury.

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EXAMINATION RESULTS

Grade I to II

Honors—Lois Edwards, Frances Clarke, Mildred Traub, Betty Boorman, Eleanor Powers.

Pass—Muriel Brightman, Beatrice Hayes, Alma Cunningham, Agatha Bergen, Beth Graham.

Grade II to III

Honors—Winnie Adshead, Helen Teskey, Donald Phillipson, Norma Sanderman, Josie Booker, Betty Barrett, Roy Cruikshank, Barbara Spence, Russell Carleton.

Pass—Murray Cattness, Teddie Fooks, Betty Patterson, David Wright, Jean Hunter, Henry Bergen, Florence Chamberlin, Riley Moon, Gordon Cressman, Marvin Yeo, Gladys Lant, Frank Moon, Lawrence Gabel, Donald Lamont.

On Trial—Bobbie Madoche, Joe Crimmon.

Teacher—Aleda B. Huget.

DIDS BUR Y 11, OLDS 2

Didsbury overwhelmed Olds 11 to 2 in a Rosebud league game on the local diamond Monday evening last.

The home team started their scoring in the first inning, making two runs to the visitors' nil, the sixth being Didsbury's big inning counting up six runs, coming in so fast that the Olds' scorekeeper had difficulty in keeping count.

In this sixth Berscht and Wyman each made two base hits, while Marks, Clemens, Reiber and DeVolin in each made a single. Didsbury brought in three more runs in the seventh.

Olds crossed the home plate in the second inning and again in the last. Hubie Goorder started on the mound for Olds, but was relieved by Gebert in the middle of the third inning.

DeVolin was not in his usual form, but held the visiting team down to one run, and was relieved by D. Wilson in the sixth inning.

Olds: Drew, W. Sutherland, Barber, Gebert, Hamilton, I. Sutherland, Bentz, Kewon, H. Goorder, A. Goorder; Battery: H. Goorder, Gebert, Kewon, Didsbury: Berscht, Wyman, Marks, Cook, Studer, Wilson, Clemens, Reiber, DeVolin; Battery: DeVolin, Wilson, Clemens.

A pleasantly varied bill of fare dealing with some more unusual phases of life in Canada's outdoors features the July issue of "Rod and Gun and Canadian Silver Fox News" which has just been published. While Ozar Ripley contributes one of his splendid fishing stories, Bonnycastle Dale, in view of a recent discussion, this month deals with natural phenomena in Canada which have been mistaken for the fabled sea serpents.

Robert James continues his interesting series of "Tales from the Wardroom Mess" with sketches of life in the north and the Swampy Crees. Other articles deal with many subjects from song birds to wild cats and jack rabbits and fish, dogs and guns. The "Canadian Silver Fox News" section, capably edited by J. R. Barr, contains a usual quantity of interesting and instructive articles relative to the industry.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Finley attended the Bassano sports on Dominion Day.



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Co-operation Rather Than Discord

It has been one of Canada's greatest misfortunes that periodically throughout its history campaigns have been inaugurated having for their object the division of the people into rival camps divided by lines of racial and creed difference. Probably no one thing has in the past operated quite so disastrously to retard the growth and national development of Canada. Time and time again when some large national question was up for decision, the issue turned, not on the merits of the question and the national policy involved, but upon some petty race and creed cry. One of the outstanding cases which is still fresh in the public mind was the Reciprocity election of 1911 when, in the last two weeks of the campaign, Ontario was swept by one of these insidious cries, and tens of thousands of voters were stampeded from support of their economic convictions in favor of free trade and wider markets.

Throughout his long career, both in private and public life, Sir Wilfrid Laurier pleaded and strove for unity and concord among all classes of the Canadian people. Hon. Mackenzie King is worthily upholding the same cause, and it is gratifying to note that Hon. R. B. Bennett, as leader of the Conservative Party in the Dominion, is throwing the whole of his eloquence and influence in the same direction. Speaking at Magog, in the Eastern Townships of Quebec, last month, Mr. Bennett said: "He who sows seeds of discord and distrust in racial and religious matters is a greater enemy to Canada than one who came with an armed force. You cannot develop a country by ill-will, hatred or contempt." A few days later at Coaticook, Mr. Bennett used these words: "The application of the Golden Rule in the life of a nation is quite as important as it is in the life of an individual," and he added that anyone who "in the heat of an election sought to raise old animosities, to sow seeds of discord, must not forget his responsibility for such unjust action."

Here in Western Canada it is absolutely vital to the welfare of the country that such words be heeded. To an ever increasing degree the people of the West are looking to and relying upon co-operative movements and enterprises to solve the economic problems of the country. To date these have attained a marvellous success in a comparatively short space of time. This has been accomplished by all classes, all creeds, people of all racial descent, in town and country, working together. There has been no lines of demarcation in the upbuilding of these large co-operative organizations. The Wheat Pools of the West, for example, could never have attained their present proportions and power had any such foolishness as so often enters into political campaigns been allowed.

The unfortunate fact remains that if the people of a Province or Community are stirred up and divided upon racial or religious lines for partisan political purposes, or for any other reason, the inevitable result is to create suspicions and animosities in the community, or throughout the Province, which makes it extremely difficult, if not impossible, to get all classes together, or hold them together, in a true spirit of co-operation. If the people of the West are divided into Catholic groups and anti-Catholic groups, English-speaking groups and non-English-speaking groups, it naturally becomes impossible for them to come together in the right spirit of friendliness and co-operation which is so essential to the maintenance and development of such organizations as the United Farmers, the Wheat Pools, and other co-operative organizations.

These racial and religious campaigns have never got their proponents anywhere, have never accomplished good, but have always resulted in harm, they are in no sense constructive but always destructive. Despite any and all claims that may be made for them they are the reverse of British and open denial of that liberty and freedom which, it is our proud boast, is to be found and is guaranteed to all under the British flag.

Not only are these unscrupulous campaigns destructive of a real national spirit; not only do they retard national growth, development and prosperity; they render the task of government, whether in the Dominion and Provinces, or in municipal councils and school boards, difficult and sometimes impossible, and in all cases more expensive and less efficient.

Western Canadians, interested in the growth of their country, loyal to its interests, and committed to the policy of co-operation for the common good of all, should most emphatically set their heel upon the ugly head of the serpent of racial and religious ill-will whenever and wherever it may raise itself.

Canada Mineral Industry

Capital employed in Canada's mineral industry in 1927 increased nearly \$18,000,000 over the previous year. The mineral output was valued at \$248,385,031, an increase of 4.6 per cent. over 1926.

B.C. Agricultural Production

Agricultural production in British Columbia in 1927 totalled \$76,999,269, the largest sum on record, an increase of 7.89 per cent. over the previous year. Exports of agricultural products increased by 19.23 per cent.

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New Quarters For Wheat Pool

Central Office Building To Be Constructed In Winnipeg

The Canadian Wheat Pool, a farmer's organization, which handles more export grain than any other organization in the world, is to be housed in a new central office building to be constructed in Winnipeg immediately. The building will be 60 feet by 120 feet, of thoroughly modern construction, faced with Manitoba stone and will cost \$600,000.

The turnover of the Canadian Wheat Pools which will be directed from this office exceeds an average of a million dollars a day.

ST. VITUS DANCE**A Trouble That Usually Attacks Young Children**

St. Vitus dance is the name generally given to a disease described by medical men as chorea. This trouble usually attacks young children, though older people may be afflicted with it. The most common symptoms are a twitching of the face and limbs. As the disease progresses the twitching takes the form of spasms, in which the jerking motion may be confined to the face or all the limbs may be affected. Frequently the patient is unable to hold anything in the hands or walk steadily. In severe cases the speech is often affected. The disease is due to debility of the nerves and relief comes through an enriched blood supply. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been most successful in reaching this trouble through their specific action on the blood, which it enriches and purifies. The following instance proves the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in this trouble. Mrs. Thomas Bowen, Bath, Ont., says:—

"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been in use in my family for years and always with good results. I believe they saved the life of my only son. At ten years of age he grew very nervous and the trouble developed into St. Vitus Dance. His legs and arms would jerk and twitch, then his speech was affected, and his condition was pitiable. Just then there came to me a little book telling of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I decided to give them to him. By the time two boxes were used there was an improvement in his condition and by the time six boxes more were taken all traces of the trouble had disappeared, and he was well and strong. I have also given the pills to my growing girls, and I know of no better strengthening medicine. I may add that the same applies to grown-ups as well."

You can get these pills though any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Honey Production

Honey production in Canada in 1927 was 23,647,268 pounds valued at \$3,660,629, according to a statement issued at Ottawa, this being an increase of 77 per cent. over the previous year, due mostly to a favorable season but also to the greater number of colonies.

Use Miller's Worm Powders and the battle against worms is won. These powders correct the morbid conditions of the stomach which nourish worms, and these destructive parasites cannot exist after they come in contact with the medicine. The worms are speedily evacuated with other refuse from the bowels. Soundness is imparted to the organs and the health of the child steadily improves.

Kills Off Noxious Weeds**Alberta Farmer Has Invention Which May Prove Valuable**

A machine to dig and destroy weeds has been invented by D. W. Warner, ex-M.P., Edmonton farmer.

A large rotary (horizontal) cylinder is the principal part of the new digger. Into this cylinder are inserted hundreds of large spikes. As the cylinder revolves at high speed the teeth mulch the soil, biting deep into the subsoil. Clouds of earth are thrown toward the rear of the machine. The dirt settles quickly while the weeds float through the air, finally coming down like sand drift over the newly-turned earth.

Weeds with extensive root systems, such as twitch grass and thistles, will fall an easy victim to the digger. Experiments carried out recently resulted in a field being left covered with finely minced twitch grass roots, like chaff which piles up behind the threshing machine.

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Sample Pack Free by Mail. Address Canadian Depot: "Steinhause, Ltd., Montreal." Price, Soap 25c. Ointment 25c and Mr. Tolson 25c. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

"New Canadians" Celebrate**Picturesque and Colorful Folksong and Handicraft Festival**

"New Canadians" from fifteen countries of Northern Europe joined in a celebration at Winnipeg recently to illustrate the national arts and culture which they are contributing to Canadian life. The celebration which took the form of a picturesque and colorful folk song and handicraft festival, was opened by Sir James Aikins, former Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba, in the rotunda of the Royal Alexandra Hotel, where handicraft exhibits were shown representing typical European market centres.

Settlers in Western Canada from Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Iceland, Germany, France, Belgium, Jugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Roumania, Finland, Hungary, Ukraine, Poland and Russia were represented in the display of artistic handicraft. Programs of folk songs and dances were given every afternoon and evening with 400 performers appearing in national costumes and attracting large audiences.

The festival is regarded as a unique demonstration of the contribution of the nations of Northern Europe to Canadian life and the part which they are taking in the rapid development of Western Canada.

Plane Loses Its Engine

When the engine fell from his airplane while the craft was in the middle of a loop at a 1,500 foot altitude, Walter Brooks, of Allentown, Pa., righted the plane and glided to an easy landing. Neither he nor his passenger, Walter Harleman, was injured. The plane had just started into a loop when the heavy engine broke from its supports and dropped. It fell half a mile from where the plane landed.

Drives Asthma Like Magic

The immediate help from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy seems like magic. Nevertheless it is only a natural remedy used in a natural way. The smoke or vapor, reaching the most remote passage of the affected tubes, brushes aside the trouble and opens a way for fresh air to enter. It is sold by dealers throughout the land.

Indian Alimony

An Alaskan Indian was sentenced to pay his squaw alimony of one bull moose, properly butchered and delivered; ten mink skins, dressed and stretched; five grey fox pelts, or one silver pelt, and 100 full-grown salmon delivered in season.

If the man who wants the earth succeeded in getting it he would kick about the taxes.

Dressed Poultry Exports**Minister Of Agriculture To Investigate Market In England**

Before sailing for England the Honorable W. R. Motherwell spent some time in Montreal discussing the situation with reference to exports to England of dressed poultry. Latest sales have been made on the basis of 32 to 36 cents per pound for 3 pound chickens, and 39 cents seaboard for 4½ pound chickens. The total export of chicken this year from January 1st to May 31st, was valued at \$111,675. It is the intention of Mr. Motherwell to devote some time to this export market situation regarding dressed poultry while in Great Britain along with other agricultural products exported, such as butter, eggs, cheese, bacon, beef cattle, etc.

Excellent For Croupy Children

When a child is suffering with croup it is a good plan to use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It reduces the inflammation and loosens the phlegm giving speedy relief to the little sufferer. It is equally reliable for sore throat and chest, earache, rheumatic pains, cuts, bruises and sprains. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is regarded by many thousands as an indispensable of the family medicine chest.

English Pheasants For Saskatchewan

An attempt is being made in the Alsask and Loverna districts to raise English pheasants of the ring-necked variety. It is not many years since the Hungarian partridge was introduced into Western Canada. The experiment will take some years, and if successful will furnish an added attraction for bird hunters.

The cheapness of Mother Graves Worm Exterminator

It is within reach of all, and it can be got at any druggist's.

Province Has Large Surplus

The Alberta Provincial Treasurer has just been able to declare a surplus up to the end of the last fiscal year of \$279,763, which is \$200,000 greater than he estimated. The surplus is taken as a reflection of good times both in the business and agricultural life of the province.

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Changes of advertisements must reach the office not later than noon Tuesday to ensure insertion in the issue of that week.

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TOURIST TRADE

Tourists from the United States and Europe will spend more than \$300,000,000 in Canadian provinces this year, which is probably about \$200,000,000 more than Canadians will spend across the international line and abroad. This is a highly satisfactory balance of "trade" in Canada's favor.

Though tourist travel is a seasonal activity it is looming up in ever-increasing importance as an economic factor. Spontaneously generated, and for some time permitted to develop largely of its own accord, this holiday travel to Canada has now come to rank as a major source of revenue taking a place in this regard with the Dominion's greatest natural possessions.

This traffic is enriching Canadian business, swelling the revenue of Dominion railways, aiding highway construction and providing employment for many thousands. It is also a source of much government revenue.

Canada is a natural playground It provides hunting and fishing for countless Americans and many Europeans. Over its good roads pass endless streams of automobiles from the United States. And its hotels and other hosteries are filled with foreign visitors.

This vast and lucrative business is worth going after. Recognizing this virtually all the provinces are inviting tourist business, confident that it can be doubled in the next decade. It is well to make touring in Canada easy and pleasant.

BE FRIENDLY

Be friendly if you wish to have friends. Nobody has friends who spends his time making enemies. When you spend your time making friends, you have friends, and the only way to make friends is to be friendly. Be friendly at home. Some men are the friendliest souls outside their homes. They have pals by the score. Everybody who knows them in business, or at the lodge, or the club, will say, "What a friendly chap he is." But at home they may never have a friendly word for the wife, while the children get sour looks and harsh words if they dare make the least noise to upset his majesty.

Some women are like that, too. Hear them talk on the telephone in honeyed phrases, or accompany them to the Sewing Circle or the Women's Club, and their friendliness attracts other women like sugar draws flies in summertime. But when the man comes home tired and weary with the day's struggle and needs a pal to understand his mood, one who will lavish friendship and love and understanding, often all she feels him with is complaints and grumbles, tooted. Only it's the man who gets toasted. Not every man or woman is like this, friendly outside, snarling at home. But too many of us are that way.

Be friendly. Cultivate friendship. In the garden of life friendship is one of the choicest flowers that blooms. If neglected it will run to waste and become a mere weed. Uncultivated, friendship droops and declines. But nurtured it thrives and grows more beautiful as the days pass.

Be friendly with your employees, if you are an employer. Know them, be

LOCAL & GENERAL

Miss Olwin Owen was a Calgary visitor over the week-end.

Mr. Harold Clemens was a business visitor to Calgary on Saturday.

Bert Stitt of Chancellor has been a visitor in town for the past week.

Tommy Johnson was a Calgary Stampede visitor on Wednesday.

Mr. J. H. Lowrie left last week for a three weeks vacation at the Coast.

Mr. A. McNaughton attended the Alberta Rifle meet held in Calgary last week.

Dave McKie, formerly of the local branch of the Royal Bank, passed through the town this week.

J. Kirby won the week-end golf competition, the first prize being a golf club.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kranpin of Alask, Sask., were visitors at the home of Mr. A. Snyder last week.

Rev. and Mrs. E. S. Hallman of Guernsey, Sask., spent a day last week at the home of M. B. Clemens.

Don't forget that Thursday, August 9th is Didsbury's Annual Fair. Plan your holidays accordingly.

T. Thompson of Vegreville stopped a few minutes in town this week to say hello to his numerous friends in Didsbury.

Miss Dorothy Cipperley of Aeme was a visitor in town on Wednesday, visiting her mother at the hospital.

Mr. T. V. Love of the Superintendent's Department, Calgary, is relieving Mr. J. Clarke of the Bank of Montreal, who is taking a three weeks' holiday.

Mr. W. H. T. Morgan, our local Postmaster, was appointed to the executive of the newly-formed Alberta Postmasters' Association, which held its first annual convention in Calgary last week.

General crop conditions are good throughout this district. Wheat is showing a strong stand and is heading out, averaging from 20 to 26 inches in height; barley 14 to 16 inches and oats 14 to 18 inches.

With a few weeks of warm weather the crops should make wonderful progress, as all indications point to a bumper yield.

The unprecedented demand for homestead lands in the northern part of the province is showing no signs of slackening according to the records of the Dominion Lands offices at Grand Prairie and Peace River. At the former point 289 entries are reported for the month of June, making a total of 732 for the three months' period ending June 30, and at Peace River 400 entries in June have made up a total of 1040 in the three months. North-bound trains from Edmonton are still carrying their full quota of prospective settlers, the majority of whom are either filing on homesteads or purchasing farm lands in the north.

Interested in them and their families. If they're in trouble, help them out. Think of them as belonging to your family. Invest friendship in them and see the dividends you'll get back.

If you are an employee, be friendly to the boss. Don't be hostile to him in thought, or word, or act. He's saying you, anyhow, and while he may be making money out of you still you work for him and should be faithful. Think of yourself as working with him. Perhaps bye and bye, you'll be a real partner; who knows?

Be friendly to animals, to little children, to the unfortunate and lonely. It will be repaid with interest. And as a last thought, be friendly to yourself. Look after yourself, your health, your condition, your home, your family, your business. If you make a mistake, or even commit some deadly sin, forgive yourself. If we ought to be "tenderhearted one toward another, forgiving one another," as the Bible says, we should also be tenderhearted to ourselves, forgiving ourselves when we do wrong. Regrets are vain, remorse foolish. Forgive yourself in friendly fashion and begin again, profiting by your mistakes. Be friendly to yourself.

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Small sizes \$1.75 to 2.00

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"Meet Me at Ranton's"**SALE BY
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I have been instructed to sell on the premises of W. R. Bolander, (N.E. Corner of the Didsbury School) by Public Auction, on

Saturday, July 14, 1928

At 1:30 o'clock sharp, the following: 1 McCormick Mower (new), 1 Frost and Wood 10-foot rake, 1/2-sec. Lever Harrow, Walking Plow, Set of Nickel Mounted Harness, Set Single Harness, Buggy, Bob Sleigh, Galvanized Hog Trough, Incubator, Brooder, 2 Large Iron Kettles, Numerous Horse Collars, Sledge, Crowbar, Shovels, Saws and Wrenches, Green-feed, Some Hay, King Automobile Tire Cover, Set of H. & D. Shock Absorbers, Alemite Grease Gun, Honker, Half Doz. Fan Belts, 1 Doz. Tugster 7/8 Spark Plugs, 1 Pint Never Burn Engine Paint, 1/2 Doz. Fan Belts, 39x3 1/2 Invincible Tire Cover, 30x4 Tire Cover, 30x3 1/2 Auto Shoe Liners, 32x3 1/2 Tube, 3 Vulcanizing Sets, 2 Tins Auto Top Dressing, 5 Champion Minute Spark Plug Cleaners, Lots 15-25-27 inc., Block K, Plan 2670H; Lots 15-28 inc., Block C, Plan 41620; Lots 1-14 inc., Block D, Plan 41620.

Terms: One third cash. Balance arranged. Four per cent off for cash.

Terms: Cash

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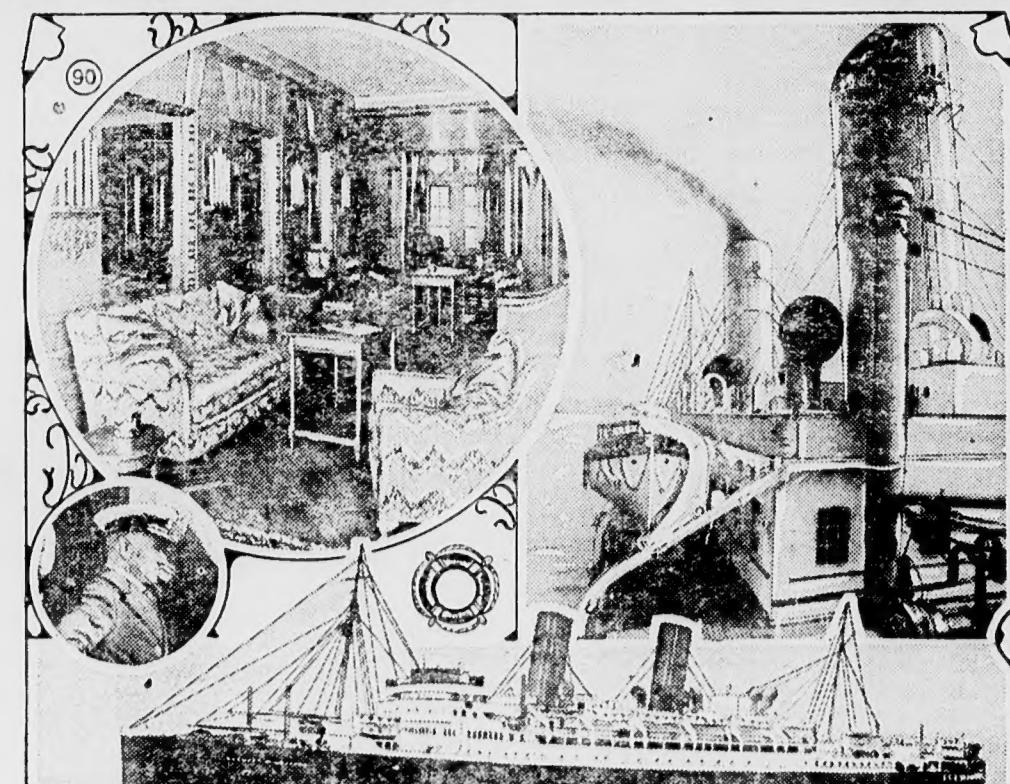
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Younger railwaymen in the employ of the great Canadian transportation companies held their first annual conference at Montreal recently under Y. M. C. A. auspices. The young men came from all points in Canada between Halifax and Vancouver and quickly got acquainted, swapping experiences and stories in friendliest fashion after the first informal introduction. It is hoped to repeat the conference yearly.

CABIN LINERS SET NEW STANDARD

Upper right—A general view of the vessel looking aft. Upper left—An interior view showing the cabin smoking room with its luxurious decorations. Lower—The Duchess of Bedford as she appeared when coming up the St. Lawrence River. Inset—Capt. H. Gibbons, commander of the "Duchess of Bedford."

PROOF that the St. Lawrence route is rapidly increasing in popularity and that an era of continued prosperity is predicted for her ports, is shown by the addition of four new cabin class liners of the new "Duchess" type to the Atlantic fleet of the Canadian Pacific.

The Duchess of Bedford, leader of this quartette of the largest liners to Montreal, arrived in that port at 8:45 p.m. June 8th, having completed her maiden voyage in exactly seven days after leaving Liverpool. The liner is over 20,000 tons gross register, is oil burning, two funnelled, and measures 600 feet in length and 75 feet in width. She will carry Cabin Class, Tourist Third Cabin, and Third Class passengers. In each class broad deck space is available, and accommodation is far superior to more expensive quarters on Atlantic liners of not long ago. The three sister ships of the Duchess of Bedford, now under construction in the shipbuilding yards of the Clyde, are the Duchess of Atholl, Duchess of Cornwall, and Duchess of Richmond.

The discoveries of radio engineers have aided in making the Duchess of Bedford an outstanding marine personality. For instance, while the ship's

orchestra is playing in the Cabin Dining Room the music is relayed by means of microphones and amplifiers to the Tourist Third Cabin and Third Class Lounges and decks. Loud-speakers also simplify the transmission of orders to the forecastle, crow's nest, and docking-bridge.

Other interesting facts about the construction of the Duchess of Bedford are that the twin propellers weigh 16½ tons each, and the 186 foot steel shafts connecting them with the powerful turbine engines weigh about 108 tons. Nearly two million rivets were used in the ship, totalling 1,000 tons in themselves, some of the plates having as many as 650 rivets each. The advent of the "Duchesses" greatly increases the passenger and freight services maintained by the Canadian Pacific on the St. Lawrence route. The schedule of passenger sailings had already been increased this summer by speeding the "turn about" of the Empresses from a four-weekly basis to meet the expected increase of traffic. The "Beaver" class of ships, newcomers to the St. Lawrence also, have been placed by the Canadian Pacific on an exclusively freight service. They run regularly between Montreal and London and continental ports, making almost as good time as the passenger liners.

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Here and There

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David J. Gowans has been appointed assistant general manager of hotels eastern lines, Canadian Pacific Railway, announcement was made recently. Mr. Gowans whose headquarters will be in Montreal, has been connected with the railway for over thirty years and has been handling C. P. R. hotel work since 1905.

Vancouver.—The first radio telephone conversation between Vancouver and Great Britain took place on Thursday, March 8th, when a member of a local business firm talked to a representative of the firm in London. Each could hear the other distinctly, they said. The call lasted four minutes and cost \$76. This conversation was said to be the longest ever made in the British Empire, spanning a distance of 7,000 miles.

John G. Stratford, director of winter sports at the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec City, states that the winter season just concluded there was the best in the history of the city. Many parties came from New York, New England States, Chicago and even as far south as Wilmington, Del. The season practically came to an end with the Eastern International Dog Derby February 20-22, having commenced at the end of December.

A contract for the building of a new steamer for the British Columbia Coast Steamship Service to take the place of the Princess Beatrice on the Prince Rupert, Skagway or west coast of Vancouver Island run, has been signed by E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The new steamer will be 250 feet long by 48 feet broad and will have a service speed of 15 knots, with accommodation for 170 first-class passengers.

According to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics the average production of wheat over the five years 1922-26 in Manitoba was 17.5 bushels to the acre, in Saskatchewan 17.3 bushels to the acre and in Alberta 17.2 bushels to the acre. The average values per bushel in the same period were respectively \$1.00, 97c and 94c, making the respective returns per acre from wheat for the three provinces \$17.50, \$16.78 and \$16.16.

Commenting on the use of the harvester-thresher or "combine" in Saskatchewan the International Harvester Co. states that during 1924 and 1925 representatives concluded the general use of this machine for harvesting grain crops in Western Canada was thoroughly practicable. In 1926 a number of machines were sold there and excellent testimonials were received from purchasers. In 1927 there was a greatly increased sale due to the showing, and results even under the unfavorable conditions prevailing that season were strikingly successful.

Over 600 new families arriving in Canada this year with limited capital can be looked after and settled advantageously in Alberta by the various provincial agents of the Canada Colonization Association, according to reports submitted by various representatives at the annual Alberta convention just concluded at Calgary. The objective first set was 400 families, but a survey showed that at least 200 more settlements could be made. T. O. F. Herzer, manager of the association, reported that during the past three years 486 families had been settled in Alberta on 122,926 acres of land, of which 153 were settled last year.

Equaling the speed across the Atlantic ocean made by passenger liners of medium size, the five 10,000 ton vessels of the "Beaver" class have been achieving records in oceanic freight transportation for the Canadian Pacific Steamships. The speedy quintette of freighters joined the company's fleet this year and have been running on as frequent and rapid a service between Canada and Europe as many passenger boats.

Chicago.—"Smiling Billy Hogan," veteran C.P.R. conductor, took "The Mountaineer," Canadian Pacific flyer from Chicago to Vancouver out in its initial run of the season this year. The train is one of the "Big Five"—C.P.R. trains de Lux operating from Chicago and the east of Canada across the continent during the summer. Conductor Hogan joined the "Sun" line in 1886 as stoker on the old Wisconsin Railway, and is to-day one of the veterans of the company.

Montreal.—A new era in Canadian trans-Atlantic passenger history, has been inaugurated in Montreal, where the fine new liner "Duchess of Bedford" docked recently. The new 20,000 ton vessel, the largest to ascend the St. Lawrence to Montreal, is the first of four cabin class sister ships of the new "Duchess" type, which will supplement the Canadian Pacific's trans-Atlantic and winter cruise services. Speakers at the banquet held on board on arrival in Montreal after her maiden voyage eulogized the occasion as an event of national significance.

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University of Manitoba, WinnipegWORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Royal Canadian Mounted Police in all parts of Saskatchewan are carrying on a vigorous campaign to remove firearms from the possession of aliens.

The International peace congress at Warsaw ended its session by strongly emphasizing the conference's appreciation of the Kellogg proposal to outlaw war.

Mining staking in Manitoba for the first six months of this year reached a record-breaking figure, according to the monthly statement of the Federal Recording Department.

His Majesty King George, is giving up Abergeldie Castle, which he and his two predecessors, King Edward and Queen Victoria, have had on lease for about eighty years.

A. H. Gee, Ph.D., prominent young Canadian scientist of Toronto and Yale universities, has been appointed assistant professor in the University of California. Dr. Gee is only in his middle twenties.

Negotiations for amalgamation of the Marconi and Eastern Telegraph Companies are reported to be coming to a head and an announcement is expected shortly it is understood. The negotiations include the government owned Imperial Radio it is said.

Dr. Duncan Campbell Scott, deputy superintendent general of Indian affairs, has been appointed by order-in-council to be one of the six commissioners of the Northwest Territories, in place of John W. Greenway, commissioner of Dominion lands, who died some time ago.

A bylaw passed by the Montreal City Council, in 1870, prohibiting unnecessary noises has been invoked in court. A firm of local music dealers was fined \$10 and costs for creating unnecessary noises by means of an outside gramophone apparatus.

Want Lower Fares For Harvesters

Ask Special Rates As a Means Of Providing Help Where Needed

Special railway rates between inter-provincial points as a means of providing a more fluid harvest labor supply in the West was advised at a conference in Winnipeg of United Farmers of Manitoba, the Federal Government employment service, the Board of Trade and the Provincial Government.

Further recommendation was that the railways arrange the reduced rate tickets so that the labor supply could stop off in Manitoba and later proceed to Alberta and Saskatchewan, where the harvest is later.

Standard Grades For Honey

The Canadian Government is engaged in plans for establishing standard grades for honey. Exports of Canadian honey have increased 200 per cent. in four years and now amount to over one and a half million pounds annually.

Tennis.

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Farmers' Marketing Tour

Canadian National Railways' Tour To Great Britain and Denmark, 1928

(Continued.)

Before leaving for Denmark it was our privilege to lay upon the base of the Cenotaph, in Whitehall, a wreath of poppies in tribute to the Empire's Glorious Dead. We marched from Horseguards Avenue to the Cenotaph escorted by mounted and foot police. The wreath bore the arms of every Province, and was carried by Mr. William Guild, of Kemnay, Manitoba, and Mr. E. F. Augustine, of Alvinston, Ontario, both of whom had lost sons in the war. Reverently they laid it at the foot of the stone while we stood bare-headed and in silence. This was our most precious duty, our proudest task, the memory of which, whatever else in this tour may be forgotten, can never fade.

We had time before entraining for Harwich to see the Houses of Parliament and Westminster Abbey. One of the most striking features of the beautiful Parliament Buildings is the towers. The Victoria Tower above the royal entrance is said to be the loftiest square tower in existence. The site of the Houses of Parliament was occupied by an ancient palace which from Edward the Confessor to Henry VIII, was the chief London residence of the reigning sovereigns. The present buildings date from between 1840 and 1850 and cost \$15,000,000. They cover eight acres and contain 1,100 rooms and two miles of passages.

We passed through both Houses. The House of Lords is much more ornate than the House of Commons. At one end are the thrones of the King and Queen, and at the other end the state chair of the Prince of Wales. In the Commons we were shown the Speaker's chair, and places occupied by Mr. Baldwin, Mr. Churchill, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Mr. Lloyd George and other Front Benchers of the three parties.

Westminster Hall, dating from William Rufus, is particularly memorable as having been the scene of the trials of Sir William Wallace, Charles L. Warren Hastings, and the Seven Bishops. We saw the brass plates marking the spot where the ill-fated monarch sat during his trial, also where the bodies of Edward VII and William Ewart Gladstone lay in state.

There is no nobler building, nor one that visitors from Overseas could desire more to see than Westminster Abbey. It is built in the form of a cross, 513 feet in length and 200 feet wide across the transepts. Every English King since Harold has been crowned in Westminster Abbey. The mortal remains of kings, soldiers, sailors, statesmen, poets and illustrious men in every walk of life rest beneath the grave of the Unknown Warrior. The coffin rests in soil brought from the battlefields.

The beauty of the Abbey, no less than its historical associations, filled us with wonder and awe. The Chapel of Henry VIII, forming the eastern end, is the finest example in the land of the Tudor Gothic style of architecture. A superb fan tracery vaulting of matchless beauty is its crowning glory. Within the grey walls of the Chapter House, an octagonal room of noble proportions, the House of Commons was born more than 500 years ago. Near the Chapter House is the Chapel of the Pyx with the seven-locked door where the king's treasure used to be kept, and on the door human skin still adhering affords gruesome evidence of the days when punishment was not so light as now.

In the Chapel of Edward the Confessor we saw the Coronation Chair and Stone of Scone, said to have been the Coronation Stone of Scottish kings from time immemorial, but carried off by Edward I. in 1297. There the tombs of five kings and six queens in this chapel and the mutilated shrine of Edward the Confessor, erected by Henry III, in 1269, originally a golden shrine decorated with jewels and golden images of the saints. Queen Elizabeth and her sister Mary lie side by side in the north aisle of the Henry VII Chapel.

Little did we think as we gazed at the tombs of the great, that before we returned from Denmark, there would be brought into the Abbey the body of the Empire's best beloved soldier, or that in Scotland we should lay our humble tribute on his tomb!

Our four days itinerary in London completed, we left in the evening for Harwich to embark on the motor ship "Jylland," pronounced mercifully not as it is spelt but as "Yooland." Again fortune favoured us in this spickest of spic and span ships we had a perfect crossing over the usually ruffled North Sea. No time was lost at Esbjerg, for before 11 p.m. we were in our pullman berths en route for Copenhagen, most of us too sleepy to hear the train move on and off the rail ferries as we crossed the Great and Little Belts which interrupt the journey. By eight a.m. we were settled in our new quarters, the Hotel Cosmopolite, sensing that spice of adventure which seems inseparable from a foreign land.

But we did not feel foreign long in Denmark. The keenness and dryness of the air reminded us of Western Canada. Here too was a northern people who appreciated stoves! Nevertheless we were not prepared

for the welcome, the brotherly welcome Mr. Hogsbro Holm, secretary of the General Agricultural Council, tendered us on the Council's behalf, nor for the frank discussion on Danish agriculture which took place, followed, to our astonishment, by the presentation of a wealth of printed statistics on every department of Danish agriculture. But the frankness and fearlessness of this proceeding were explained:—"We are today looking forward to a still keener competition on the world market, but being, as we are, descendants of the old Vikings, we are looking for the struggle with joy, and today are glad to shake hands with an able and first class competitor!" And we Canadians cheered to a man and woman!

Other interesting features of the meeting were a history of co-operation, questions that were answered by the leading agricultural professors in Denmark, and the vote of thanks proposed in Danish by Mr. C. Christensen, the only Danish born Canadian in the party.

In the afternoon we had the pleasure of viewing Amalienborg Palace, the residence of the Danish Royal Family, Christiansborg Castle and other interesting buildings which tell the story of Denmark's gallant history. Even then we did not forget the business aspect of our tour, for the afternoon was ended by an inspection of the Milk Distributing Depot, Copenhagen.

(To Be Continued.)

Tragedy Of the Arctic

Eskimo Mother Perishes In Attempt To Save Children From Drowning

A tragedy of the Arctic in which an Eskimo mother sacrificed her life in a vain attempt to save three of her children from drowning was described by Captain Burgess, of the steamer *Ungava*, just back from a cruise along the Labrador coast.

The accident occurred near Rigolet. An Eskimo boy and his two sisters were fishing at the edge of the ice when a large floe broke away and drifted out to sea with the helpless children.

The mother saw the predicament of her children just as the six-knot current caught the drifting floe and overturned it. The hardy children managed to keep their heads above water by clinging to the ice while their mother launched a leaky boat, the only one available, and with a wooden tub to bale set out to the rescue.

In the face of almost insurmountable difficulties the heroic mother took the children from the icy water and started for shore, forced to bale constantly to keep the fragile craft afloat.

Just as safety was almost assured the wooden tub, held by only one hoop at the bottom, fell to pieces in the hands of the baler and before they could reach shallow water the craft sank beneath them. All were drowned.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JULY 15

THE CONVERSION OF SAUL

Golden Text: "Faithful is the saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners."—1 Timothy 1:15.

Lesson: Acts 9:1-19a; 22:6-16; 1 Corinthians 15:8.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 119:41-48.

Explanations and Comments

Saul the Zealot, Acts. 9:1, 2.—The "But" indicates the contrast between Philip's zeal in advancing the gospel, which Luke has just recorded in Acts 8, and Saul's zeal in retarding it.

By means of a vivid metaphor, Luke shows us how Saul's presence brought terror to the hearts of the disciples whom he hunted: "But Saul, yet breathing threatening and slaughter against the disciples of the Lord, went unto the high priest." "Breathing hard, out of a threatening and murderous desire," the Greek form there warrants that translation." It is as if Saul were fairly panting, in his effort to give expression to his outraged thoughts concerning the disciples.

From the high priest Saul asked and readily obtained letters to the synagogue in Damascus, which permitted him to arrest believers of Christ, whether men or women, and bring them bound to Jerusalem. At Jerusalem the captives were to be brought before the Sanhedrin for trial. Henry Drummond puts the situation in a striking way: "In the pride of his Pharisee's heart Paul strikes out the idea to reverse the maxim of the Crucified Leader of the heretical sect, and go into all the world and suppress the gospel in every creature."

There are similarities between the course of Paul and that of Felix Dzerzhinsky, the chief of the Red Terror in Russia. He was the organizer of the Soviet Inquisition, by which the Bolsheviks maintained their position against their enemies in the first years of their civil war for power. The Outlook said of him: "Incorruptible and implacable, he was the sort of inexorable judge who believed that people must be tortured and executed for the sake of an idea. He had the victims tortured to learn from them about plots against the Soviet state, to strike fear into the hearts of its foes, and so to advance the cause of Communism in Russia and—as undoubtedly he hoped—throughout the world. In certain aspects Communist fanaticism is like religious fanaticism. One of its most singular and significant products was this gentle individual and cruel inquisitor, Dzerzhinsky."

Erecting Country Elevators

A Busy Season Ahead In Constructing Grain Elevators In Alberta

This summer will witness a great deal of activity on the part of the grain companies as well as the Wheat Pool in the construction of elevators at country points in Alberta to take care of the larger harvests which are expected. Another company which has just announced its intention to enter on a construction program is the Gillespie Grain Company. According to John Gillespie, president, the firm plans to erect six new elevators each with a capacity of 40,000 bushels.

Courtship—"Oh, if he'd only go home!"

Marriage—"Oh, if he'd only come home!"

DELEGATION OF ROTARIANS



Here is the largest delegation of Rotarians ever to leave Europe for the North American continent, and who chose to travel by the St. Lawrence route and through Canada to attend the 19th Rotary International Convention at Minneapolis. There were 250 in the party, and they represented 14 nations. Inset is Capt. E. F. Summers, commander of the White Star liner "Albertic" holding a China Rotary wheel presented to him by Rotarians from Czechoslovakia, as a memento of the voyage. The photograph was taken on the *Albertic* on which the delegation travelled.

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While the initial development is not on the scale of some of the bigger power projects on the continent, even in its first stages, the power plant at Island Falls will be by far larger than any now existing in Saskatchewan.

At present Regina has the largest power plant in Saskatchewan, with a capacity of 26,500 horsepower. The one to be built at Island Falls, even at the start, could supply any two cities in Saskatchewan with all power needs and could supply Moose Jaw, North Battleford, Prince Albert and Saskatoon. The 39,000 initial horsepower will represent 24,000 kilowatts.

Under terms imposed by the Saskatchewan government, the federal government, having referred the proposition, the Churchill River Power company must reserve one-sixth of the total power developed for use of the public in Saskatchewan and sell that reserve to the public consumer at as low a cost as charged any company for like use as the reserve power must be supplied as and when required.

The Churchill River Power Company now has a registered office in Regina and from that office has issued an official warning that lands in the vicinity will be flooded and that protests, if any, should be filed on or before July 16, noon.

Minard's Liniment for Insect Bites.

While it may be true that British law gives a man the right to open his wife's letters, yet it doesn't give him a wife who will submit to that sort of thing.

Cute in a Baby—Awful at Three—and it's Dangerous

by Ruth Brittain



Thumb sucking does look sweet in a baby, but it is disgusting in the three-year-old and sometimes it hangs on until fifteen or sixteen! The habit may cause an ill-formed mouth or induce adenoids; and it always interferes with digestion. Pinning the sleeve over the hand; attaching mittens, or putting on cardboard cuffs, which prevent bending the arms at the elbows, are some of the ways to stop the habit.

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CHAPTER XXVII.—Continued.

Dr. St. John would not have been critical of his wife if she had chosen to follow some profession. He would have liked that. He did not believe that every woman had to be run in the domestic mould, making the coffee and ironing shirts—anyone could do that! But the companionship—the good fellowship of a wife—how he craved it! And now that craving was slowly turning to resentment. Other men had wives—he had a queen of chatter, a hoarder of trinkets, a bridge player, a tea drinker!

The telephone rang.

"Yes, it is Dr. St. John. Who is speaking?"

"Jack—Jack Doran."

"Eva's brother? On your way through? Come along, yes, we are at home—I'll drive down for you—only thirty minutes. Grand Trunk? I'll be there—yes, Eva will come, too."

The Doctor hurried into the living-room and spoke to Eva. "Jack is at the station. Get on your things," he said, "my car is at the door. Leave the crowd here."

"We will all go," cried one girl, with very bare shoulders; "I want to see Eva's good-looking brother. Let's give him a regular send-off."

The crowd arose flutteringly, all chattering. There was something particularly irritating to the doctor in their idleness, their gaiety, their lack of seriousness. "Stay here," he said curtly; "Jack Doran has no desire to be met by a crowd of strang-

ers for whom he cares nothing. He wants to see his sister."

Eva turned on him indignantly. "Well, I like that," she said. "Remember, a station is a public place—anyone can go. Come on, kids, every one of you."

The doctor took his wife's arm with a suddenness that surprised her and said, "Hurry Eva—have you no sense?"

"You have no right to be rude to my friends," said Eva peevishly, when they were on their way to the station; "you acted abominably just now!"

"Oh forget it!" the Doctor said, "and try to get a serious thought in your mind for once. Your only brother is going to war, and the chances are against your ever seeing him again. Have you nothing to say to him? Forget that cackling gang for half an hour. Their feelings are not hurt."

Eva looked at him in speechless amazement.

Jack had hoped that he might see his sister and the doctor alone. He wanted to tell his sister about Helm. The boy's heart craved companionship—he must tell someone. But the whole crowd swarmed around him with their incoherent gaiety, their senseless chatter, and the few minutes went by uselessly. The Doctor was furious, and it was against Eva that his rage was directed. Here was her only brother going away, and she had not a serious thought in her head, not one loving, personal word for him.

The Doctor took Jack's hand at the last as they stood at the steps of the train. "I am going over too, Jack," he said; "it is going to be a long fight, and we will be needed. I cannot stand back and see other men go. I am proud of you, Jack. Can I do anything for you?"

A great impulse to tell the Doctor came to Jack but the conductor was calling and the train bell was ringing.

"I wish I could have had a good talk with you," Jack said, as the train began to move.

That night when her company had gone, Eva came into the Doctor's room. His light was still burning, and she knew he was not asleep. Eva, sinuous and graceful, in a light gown of cream satin, was determined to check what was the first sign of insubordination in her husband. Her married friends assured her that if a man is "let away" with an exhibition of temper or crossness he will be worse the next time; so Eva had her mind made up to be very haughty and coldly proud. She would forgive him, but only after a distinct understanding.

"Well, what have you to say?" she asked him, with the queenly manner that had never failed.

"Nothing," he answered, "only that it is time you were in bed."

"Do you mean to say that, after insulting my guests?"

The doctor laid down his book. "If your guests had any sense, which they have not, they would have stayed here and let you and me go alone. They don't know Jack and care nothing for him. They raced to the station because it was something to do, something to relieve the dullness of their vacant minds. I told you to hurry if you wanted to see your brother. Now you can be as hurt over it as you like. I am tired trying to understand you, and have come to the conclusion that there is nothing to understand, in fact you have ceased to interest me."

Eva had not expected this. "What do you mean?" she said at last.

"Just what I said! Selfish people pay for their selfishness in the end, though they may be able to run on credit for a long time. The world is at war, Eva, but you do not know it. While you and your overfed friends were eating and drinking downstairs, boys were dying in mud and cold to save the world, brave boys like Jack. Nurses were binding up shrapnel wounds while shells fell around them; refugees were pouring into England to be cared for by the women of England. No, Eva, your type might last a long time in peace, but it shows up badly in time of war."

Eva was looking at him now through half-closed lids. Dull anger burned in her eyes.

"You are no longer a child, Eva, though I can hardly say you are a woman. You are a perfect form to hang clothes on, and a very graceful dancer, and a very free spender on yourself—and if you thought you

could get away with it right now you would give a violent exhibition of anger. But something tells you it would be quite useless. You will never be an old woman, Eva; don't be afraid of that. Old women are patient, kindly, motherly people, ready to help, ready to warn, anxious—perhaps too anxious. You know the type, and utterly despise them. You were quite ashamed of my dear old mother when she came to visit us, she was so old-fashioned and quaint to you and your friends. No, you will never be an old woman, Eva; in another fifteen years you will be a stale novelty."

She turned and left him without a word. Reaching her room, she flung herself across the bed and wept tears of sheer vexation.

The next day the doctor told his wife that he had enlisted for service overseas. Eva hoped and expected right to the last minute that he would apologize and beg to be forgiven, but she was disappointed, and the hardest part of it was that he did not seem to care.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

The people of Bannerman have not forgotten April 25th, 1915. The day began peacefully enough, with only a reddish tinge in the sunshine to mark it from other days, and that blinding heat which seems more oppressive in April than in July. The Spring had come early in Northern Alberta and now the budding of the earth was advancing with feverish haste. The red tassels of the poplars were paling into feathery gray, and already some were to be found littering the woodland paths, their work was done, they could take their rest.

Of all the spring birds that had come back to gladden the land the crows were most in evidence for they had come in thousands from the south, filling the air with their clamor. In every flock that came, a noisy minority seemed to dominate, sometimes dividing from the company to seek their own way, and then finding their following not so great as they had expected, returning noisier than ever to demand that another vote be taken because the first one had not been constitutional. Vastly entertaining is the crow, and full of a caprice that marks him for a blood brother of the human family. But he is welcomed by the northern dwellers—not because of himself or his habits, which are reprehensible, but because he is a portent of the Spring.

(To Be Continued.)

RED HOT JULY DAYS HARD ON THE BABY

July—the month of oppressive heat; red-hot days and sweltering nights; is extremely hard on little ones. Diarrhoea, dysentery, colic and cholera infantum carry off thousands of precious little lives every summer. The mother must be constantly on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they come on suddenly to fight them. No other medicine is of such aid to mothers during the hot summer as is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the bowels and stomach, and an occasional dose given to the well child will prevent summer complaint, or if the trouble does come on suddenly will banish it. The Tablets are sold by Medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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SUMMER COMPLAINT Nearly Lost Her Little Girl

Mrs. Theodore Bivett, Anthony, Ont., writes:—"Last Fall I nearly lost my little girl as she was suffering terribly from summer complaint. She became very thin and weak; had no appetite, and could hardly walk across the room without falling down. At last my mother advised me to get a bottle of



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CLOVERMOUNT NEWS

We see that the young people of Clovermount and Westcott are busy chasing (?) mosquitoes these days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robertson returned last week from a motor trip to the coast, and other western points.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Alex Robertson is getting along nicely since his accident.

Our High School students are home again for their summer holidays.

The Westcott Women's Institute held their meeting at the home of Mrs. R. MacFarlane. A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all.

Everyone's looking for some more good social evenings during the summer at Westcott. Let's get started folks.

Miss Ethel Dackstaedt was a visitor in the Westcott district last week.

A large number of people attended the funeral held in Carstairs last Sunday.

Too bad Westcott that your "shower" did not turn out to be a successful event! (?)

Wilfred Klein is still visiting the "Fox" Farm east of Didsbury. He says the roads are still passable. He should know, don't you think??

A very successful school picnic was held at Clovermount on Monday, July 2nd. We wish to thank Miss Klinek for all her energy which was put forth to make it a success.

What's the trouble with the Clovermount ball teams. You better practice up Clovermount. Some of the boys lay the blame on the mosquitoes for their ill-luck on July 2. We're still wondering about it!

Miss Angeline Klein is at home again, after working in town for several weeks.

A dance was held at Springside School on Monday evening. Many of our young folks ventured up, where they danced the light fantastic until the wee small hours of the morning. A good time was reported by all.

Train Time at Didsbury

Northbound—
No. 521 Daily 3:11 a.m.
No. 523 " Ex. Sunday 11:35 a.m.
No. 525 " 6:15 p.m.
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Contrary to Rumors

no liabilities have to be made up out of the present year's tax. Insurance remains in force until the end of September. For above reasons it merits your support.

For full information see your Municipal Secretary.

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- I think advertising all the time. I buy goods that will advertise well. Sometimes I buy goods just for their advertising value.
- I get good display for my ads. by seeing that the copy is in the newspaper office in plenty of time. I do this by having a definite hour to write the copy.
- Whenever possible, I carry the nationally advertised goods that are advertised in my home paper. I feature them. Sometimes they give me a smaller margin than fly-by-night concerns, but I find that I sell faster and make more money in the end, besides pleasing more customers.
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